

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In Re Application of:

Shih-Wei Liao et al.

Serial No.: 10/676,889

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For: METHODS AND APPARATUSES FOR  
COMPILER-CREATING HELPER THREADS  
FOR MULTI-THREADING

Examiner: MITCHELL, Jason D

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**AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION**

In accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a), Applicants for the above-identified application respectfully petition the Commissioner for a one (1) month extension of time, extending the period for response to May 4, 2010, from the Office Action dated Jan. 4, 2010. Please charge the petition filing fee of \$130.00 to Deposit Account No. 50-0221.

If it should be determined that a longer extension of time is required to prevent this application from being abandoned, please charge any additional fees to Deposit Account No. 50-0221.

In response to the Office Action dated Jan. 4, 2010, applicants respectfully request that the Examiner enter the following amendments and consider the following remarks.